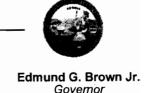
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Matthew Rodriquez
Secretary for
Environmental Protection

December 14, 2011

Mr. Jared Blumenfeld Regional Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 9 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, California 94105

Dear Mr. Blumenfeld:

Enclosed are revisions to the *State of California Implementation Plan for Achieving and Maintaining the National Ambient Air Quality Standards* (SIP). Two compact discs and two paper copies, each containing the revisions in their entirety, are enclosed. These revisions consist of amended rules of the following air quality management districts (districts):

Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District

Also enclosed is the Air Resources Board (ARB) Executive Order S-11-026 adopting the districts' rules as revisions to the SIP. The districts are authorized to adopt and enforce the rules by California Health and Safety Code (H&SC) section 40001. ARB is authorized to adopt the rules as revisions to the SIP by H&SC sections 39601, 39602, and 41650 through 41652. Enclosure A lists the specific rules that were adopted, amended, or rescinded by the districts and that have been adopted as revisions to the SIP by ARB through Executive Order S-11-026.

To meet the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) criteria for determining that rule submittals are administratively and technically complete, we have enclosed evaluations of the effects of the rules on emissions, evaluations of the rules' consistency with 40 CFR 51, and other supporting documentation provided to us to date by the districts. We have made every reasonable effort to obtain from the districts all documentation necessary to comply with U.S. EPA's SIP Completeness Policy.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: http://www.arb.ca.gov.

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We understand that, according to section 110(k)(1)(B) of the federal Clean Air Act, U.S. EPA will determine within 60 days of the Administrator's receipt of a SIP revision, but no later than six months after the date by which the State is required to submit the revision, whether the rule packages within the revision are adequately complete to review for approvability. ARB staff may receive additional supporting documentation from the districts within the next few months. We will, of course, forward those additional materials to you.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss these SIP revisions, please contact Mr. Michael J. Guzzetta, Manager, Rule Evaluation Section at (916) 322-6025 or mguzzett@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Robert D. Fletcher

Deputy Executive Officer

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Executive Order S-11-026

WHEREAS, the rules identified in Enclosure A have been amended by the following air quality management districts (districts):

Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District

WHEREAS, the districts are authorized by California Health and Safety Code (H&SC) section 40001 to adopt and enforce the rules identified in Enclosure A;

WHEREAS, the rules have been submitted to the Air Resources Board (ARB) for inclusion in the *State of California Implementation Plan for Achieving and Maintaining the National Ambient Air Quality Standards* (SIP) as reasonably available control measures for limiting emissions of air pollutants within the districts;

WHEREAS, ARB has determined that these rules are necessary to meet requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; and

WHEREAS, ARB is authorized by H&SC sections 39601, 39602, and 41650 through 41652 to adopt district rules as revisions to the SIP.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that ARB hereby adopts the districts' rules identified in Enclosure A as revisions to the SIP.

I certify, pursuant to 40 CFR 51.102(f), that the rules identified in Enclosure A were amended after notice and public hearings as required by 40 CFR 51.102(a) and 51.102(d).

Robert D. Fletcher

Deputy Executive Officer

Date: December 14, 2011

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Enclosure A

Rules That Were Amended by the Following
Air Quality Management Districts
and Which Are Submitted As Revisions to the
State of California Implementation Plan for Achieving
and Maintaining the National Ambient Air Quality Standards

District	Rule Number	Date Adopted or Amended	Title
Antelope Valley AQMD	315	10/18/11	Federal Clean Air Act Section 185 Penalty (amended)
Mojave Desert AQMD	315	10/24/11	Federal Clean Air Act Section 185 Penalty (amended)

